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Sir:

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- 2. X after the time period specified in paragraph 1 above, but before the mailing date of a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113 or Notice of Allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311. Therefore, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), submitted herewith is:

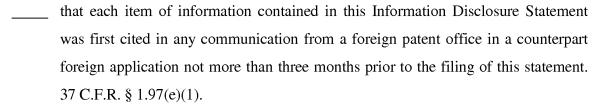
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